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In re Application of: MAX

Application No.: 10/19,691

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Group: (Unknown)

Title: CONTROLLED COOLING OF
INPUT WATER BY DISSOCIATION OF
HYDRATE IN AN ARTIFICIALLY
PRESSURIZED ASSISTED
DESALINATION FRACTIONATION
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Examiner: (Unknown)

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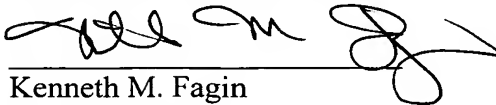
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Respectfully submitted,

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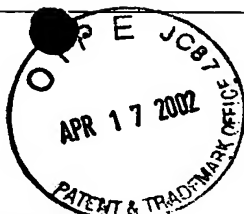


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